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Spill Notification Report

Name and Phone number of reporting party:

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Name and Phone number of Responsible Party:

Ash Grove Cement Company

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Seattle WA. 98134

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Location of Spill:

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Type of Material Released: Diesel Fuel #2

Quantity spilled and affected media:

Estimate two gallons leaked into the Duwamish Waterway.

Cleanup Status: Completed

Agency Notification

Notification was provided on 11/19/03 to the following agencies:

National Response Center: Report Number 705-780 (Jones)

WA. Dept of Emergency Management: Case Number 03-09-40

Washington Department of Ecology, Water Quality: Report # 537438

Spill Date: November 19, 2003

Time of Occurrence 05:00 Hours

A Cat 980 loader used to offload sand and gravel material from the ITB - 250 developed a diesel fuel leak. The loader was operating on the barge and at approximately 5:00 am, it was noticed that a pinhole-sized leak had developed in the fuel filter. The leak was caused by a hydraulic line that had been rubbing against the filter. The diesel oil had mixed with the sand and gravel on the barge and was contained on the barge. As the rainwater began to pond in areas of the barge, it was discovered that some diesel-rain water mix was leaking from a hole in the barge's outboard containment wall. The hole was plugged and the discharge ceased. It is estimated that approximately two gallons of diesel fuel was lost into the Duwamish River resulting in a sheen approximately 5'x 20' in size.

Confirming verbal reports were given during calls received 11/19/03 from Chuck Bartlett USCG and Charmaine Steigerwald WA Dept of Ecology Spill Response.



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